

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS			
FOR		NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS		minus 20 =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS		minus 3 =	
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TYPE

OTHER THAN
OR SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEES	RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	150.00	OR BASIC FEE	300.00
X\$ 25 =		OR X\$50 =	
X100 =		OR X200 =	
+180 =		OR +360 =	
TOTAL		OR TOTAL	

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	Independent		
	4-1-06	14	minus	20

SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN
SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X\$ 25 =		OR X\$50 =	
X100 =		OR X200 =	
+180 =		OR +360 =	
TOTAL ADDT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE	

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AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	Independent		
	29	5	minus	20

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X\$ 25 =		OR X\$50 =	450
X100 =		OR X200 =	200
+180 =		OR +360 =	
TOTAL ADDT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDT. FEE	650 PD

AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
	Total	Independent		
			minus	20

RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X\$ 25 =		OR X\$50 =	
X100 =		OR X200 =	
+180 =		OR +360 =	

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Art Unit : 2875

Examiner : Adam C. REHM

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND
SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Sir:

This paper is a submission pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination. Previously, an April 1 Amendment After Final had been filed. Although those claim amendments were entered, an Advisory Action dated April 19 informed Applicant the Examiner did not find these claims to distinguish over the cited references. No petition for extension of time is believed necessary. This paper is set forth as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

CONCLUSION

For the above-stated reasons, this application is respectfully asserted to be in condition for allowance. An early and favorable examination on the merits is requested. In the event that a telephone conference would facilitate the examination of this application in any way, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the number provided.

THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY ADDITIONAL FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED FOR THE TIMELY CONSIDERATION OF THIS AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 AND 1.17, OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 13-4500, ORDER NO. 1948-4838.

Respectfully submitted,
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